

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Prior to examining the claims in the application, please delete the existing claims and insert new claims 15-18.

Listing of Claims:

1-14 (cancelled)

15. (new) A golf ball comprising:
one or more layers of construction;
water soluble dye embedded in said one or more layers of construction.

16. (new) A golf ball of claim 1 wherein one of said layers of construction is a gloss coat, and wherein said dye is formed as a layer underneath said gloss coat.

17. (new) A golf ball comprising:
one or more layers of construction;
water soluble ink embedded in said one or more layers of construction.

18. (new) A process for manufacturing a golf ball comprising:
assembling a core of one or more layers of construction;
forming a cover over said core;
applying a primer over said cover;
dip coating a coating of water soluble dye over said primer;
applying a gloss coat over said coating of water soluble dye.